

Center for Educational Performance and Information (CEPI)

Acronyms and Abbreviations

July 2003



www.michigan.gov/cepi

Acronyms and Abbreviations

Note: The following acronyms and abbreviations are used in various documents throughout the CEPI Web site. We hope this list is helpful to you.

ACT	American College Testing
ADA	Americans with Disabilities Act
ADD	Attention Deficit Disorder
ADHD	Hyperactivity Attention Deficit Disorder
AP	Advanced Placement
ASCI	American Standard Code for Information Interchange
AYP	Adequate Yearly Progress
CCD	Common Core of Data
CCSO	Council of Chief State School Officers
CD-ROM	Compact Disc-Read Only Memory
CDX	Credential Data Exchange
CEPI	Center for Educational Performance and Information
CEU	Continuing Education Unit
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CIP	Classification of Instructional Program
CSR	Comprehensive School Reform
CSV	Comma Separated File
CRT	Criterion-Referenced Test
CTE	Career and Technical Education
D-K	Developmental Kindergarten
DAT	Digital Audio Tape
DBF	DataBase File
EAU	Educational Administrative Unit
ECP	Error Check Program
EDGAR	Education Department General Administrative Regulations
EDN	Education Data Network
EEO	Equal Employment Opportunity
EEOC	Equal Employment Opportunity Commission
ESA	Employment Service Agency
ESEA	Elementary and Secondary Education Act
ESL	English as a Second Language
EOY	End of Year
FAQ	Frequently Asked Question
FERPA	Family Education Rights and Privacy Act
FID	Financial Information Database
FLSA	Fair Labor Standards Act
FMLA	Family Medical Leave Act
FOIA	Freedom of Information Act
FTE	Full Time Equivalent or Full Time Equated
FTP	File Transfer Protocol
FY	Fiscal Year
GB	GigaByte
GED	General Education Diploma
GIF	Graphics Interchange Format
GUI	Graphical User Interface
HB	House Bill
HR	House Resolution
HDTV	High Definition Television

Acronyms and Abbreviations

HTTP	Hypertext Transfer Protocol
IDEA	Individuals with Disabilities Education Act
IEP	Individualized Education Program
IFSP	Individualized Family Service Plan
ISD	Intermediate School District
IT	Information Technology
JPEG	Joint Photographic Experts Group
K-12	Kindergarten through Grade 12
LAN	Local Area Network
LEA	Local Educational Agency
LEP	Limited English Proficiency
MAEDS	Michigan Association for Educational Data Systems
MAERS	Michigan Adult Education Record System
MASA	Michigan Association of School Administrators
MASB	Michigan Association of School Boards
MAISA	Michigan Association of Intermediate School Administrators
MAPSA	Michigan Association of Public School Academies
MASPA	Michigan Association of School Personnel Administrators
MASSP	Michigan Association of Secondary School Principals
MB	MegaByte
MCL	Michigan Compiled Laws
MDE	Michigan Department of Education
MEA	Michigan Education Association
MEAP	Michigan Educational Assessment Program
MEDS	Migrant Education Database System
MEGS	Michigan Electronic Grant System
MEIS	Michigan Education Information System
MeL	Michigan eLibrary or Michigan Electronic Library
MESP	Michigan Education Savings Plan
MET	Michigan Education Trust
MI-CIS	Michigan Compliance Information System
MIEM	Michigan Institute for Educational Management
MPAAA	Michigan Pupil Accounting and Attendance Association
MSA	Metropolitan Service Area
MSBO	Michigan Association of School Business Officials
MTTEC	Michigan Test for Teacher Certification
MOU	Memo of Understanding
NAEP	National Assessment of Educational Progress
NCES	National Center for Education Statistics
NCLB	The No Child Left Behind Act of 2001
NCREL	North Central Regional Educational Laboratory
NSF	National Science Foundation
NSLDS	National Student Loan Data System
OCR	Office for Civil Rights
OESE	Office of Elementary and Secondary Education
OPPC	Office of Professional Preparation and

Acronyms and Abbreviations

	Certification
OPPS	Office of Professional Preparation Services
OS	Operating System
OSEP	Office of Special Education Programs
OSERS	Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services
OST	Out-of-School Time
OWD	Office of Workforce Development
PAL	Partnership for Adult Learning
PSAT	Preliminary SAT
PC	Personal Computer
PDF	Portable Document Format
PIC	Personnel Identification Code
PNG	Portable Network Graphics
Pre-K	Pre-Kindergarten
PSA	Public School Academy (Charter School)
PTO	Parent Teacher Organization
RAM	Random Access Memory
R.E.A.D.Y.	Read, Educate and Develop Youth
REP	Registry of Educational Personnel
RESA	Regional Educational Service Agency
RFP	Request for Proposal
ROM	Read Only Memory
S&P	Standard & Poor's
SAT	Scholastic Aptitude Test
SEA	State Educational Authority
SB	Senate Bill
SCM	School Code Master
SDFSCA	Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act
SEA	State Educational Agency
SES	(Standard & Poor's) School Evaluation Services
SID	School Infrastructure Database
SIG	State Improvement Grant
SRSD	Single Record Student Database
SSL	Secure Sockets Layer
STAR	Student Test & Achievement Repository
SWP	School-wide Assistance Program
SY	School Year
TAS	Targeted Assistance School
TCP	Transmission Control Protocol
UAT	User Acceptance Testing
UIC	Unique Identification Code
URL	Universal Resource Locator
USDOE	United States Department of Education
VEDS	Vocational Education Data System
WAN	Wide Area Network
WWW	World Wide Web
XML	Extensible Markup Language